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	Application Number	10/541940
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the specification of which

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10/541,940

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## STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicant/Patent Owner: Barry Howard Lee et al.Application No./Patent No.: 10/541,940 Filed/Issue Date: January 11, 2006Entitled: MEASURING TAPE AND MEASURING TAPE END PIECEFISCO TOOLS LIMITED

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